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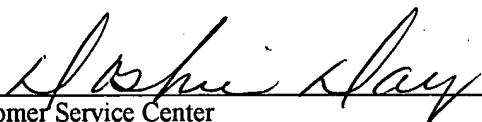
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Serial No.: 09/610,100

Filed: June 30, 2000

For: **METHOD OF AND APPARATUS
FOR COMMUNICATING DATA
STRUCTURES BETWEEN
DEVICES IN A NETWORKING
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Sir:

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 08-1275. **An originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.**

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: Sept. 26, 2000

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